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- (a) Meetings of local teams shall be closed to the public and are not subject to Title 3 of the General Provisions Article when the local teams are discussing individual cases of overdose or drug overdose deaths.
- (b) Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, meetings of local teams shall be open to the public and are subject to Title 3 of the General Provisions Article when the local team is not discussing individual cases of overdose or drug overdose deaths.
- (c) (1) During a public meeting, information may not be disclosed that identifies:
 - (i) A deceased individual;
 - (ii) An individual who has experienced an overdose;
- (iii) A family member, guardian, or caretaker of a deceased individual or of an individual who has experienced an overdose; or
- (iv) An individual convicted of a crime or adjudicated as having committed a delinquent act that caused a death or near fatality.
- (2) During a public meeting, information may not be disclosed about the involvement of any agency with:
 - (i) A deceased individual;
 - (ii) An individual who has experienced an overdose;
- (iii) A family member, guardian, or caretaker of a deceased individual or of an individual who has experienced an overdose; or
- (iv) An individual convicted of a crime or adjudicated as having committed a delinquent act that caused a death or near fatality.
- (d) This section does not prohibit a local team from requesting the attendance at a team meeting of a person who has information relevant to the team's exercise of its purpose and duties.

(e) A person who violates this section is guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction is subject to a fine not exceeding \$500 or imprisonment not exceeding 90 days or both.

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